#### DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP ARENAC COUNTY STATE OF MICHIGAN

FINANCIAL REPORT
WITH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2007 and 2006

Michigan Department of Treasury 496 (02/06)

Auditing Procedures Report
Issued under P.A. 2 of 1968, as amended and P.A. 71 of 1919, as amended.

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	Count		City	⊠Twp	∐Village	∏Other	Deep River Township			Arenac
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#### REPORT LETTER

December 5, 2007

To The Township Board Deep River Township Arenac County Sterling, Michigan 48659

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Government Activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Deep River Township as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007 and 2006, which collectively comprise the Township's financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Deep River Township's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with United States generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Government Activities, each major fund, and aggregate remaining fund information of the Deep River Township as of June 30, 2007 and 2006, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with United States generally accepted accounting principles.

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 7 and 21 through 22 are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplemental information required by the Government Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consist principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplemental information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

To The Township Board Deep River Township December 5, 2007 Page 2

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Deep River Township's basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplemental information, as identified in the table of contents, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The other supplemental information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, it is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

QUAST, JANKE AND COMPANY

Certified Public Accountants, P.C.

#### **Management's Discussion and Analysis**

This section of Deep River Township's Annual Financial Report presents our discussion and analysis of the Township's financial performance during the year ended June 30, 2007. Please read it in conjunction with the Township's financial statements, which immediately follows this section.

#### **Using this Annual Report**

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Deep River Township financially as a whole. The government-wide Financial Statements provide information about the activities of Deep River Township, presenting both an aggregate view of the Township's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. The fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental activities, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements look at the Township's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements by providing information about the Township's most significant funds – the General Fund, Road Fund, Cemetery Fund with all other funds presented in one column as nonmajor funds. The remaining statement, the statement of fiduciary net assets, presents financial information about activities for which the Township acts solely as an agent.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD &A) (Required Supplemental Information)

**Basic Financial Statements** 

Government-wide Financial Statements

**Fund Financial Statements** 

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

(Required Supplemental Information)

Budgetary Information for the General Fund and Major Special Revenue Funds

Other Supplemental Information

Reporting the Township as a Whole - Government-Wide Financial Statements

One of the most important questions asked about the Township is, "As a whole, what is the Township's financial condition as a result of the year's activities?" The statement of net assets and the statement of activities, which appear first in the Township's financial statements, report information on the Township as a whole and its activities in a way that helps you answer this question. We prepare these statements to include all assets and liabilities, using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. All of the current year's revenue and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

These two statements report the Township's net assets – the difference between assets and liabilities, as reported in the statement of net assets – as one way to measure the Township's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the Township's net assets – as reported in the statement of activities – are indicators of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. The relationship between revenues and expenses is the Township's operating results. However, the Township's goal is to provide services to our residents, not to generate profits as commercial entities do.

The statements of net assets and statement of activities report the governmental activities for the Township, which encompass all of the Township's services, including legislative, general government, public safety, public works and culture and recreation. Property taxes, special assessments, and unrestricted State shared revenue finance most of these activities.

#### Reporting the Township's Most Significant Funds – Fund Financial Statements

The Township's fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds – not the Township as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law. However, the Township establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it's meeting legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other money. The governmental funds of the Township use the following accounting approach:

Governmental funds – All of the Township's services are reported in governmental funds. Governmental fund reporting focuses on showing how money flows into and out of funds and the balances left at year end that are available for spending. They are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the operations of the Township and the services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Township's programs. We describe the relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) and governmental funds in a reconciliation.

#### The Township as a Whole

Recall that the statement of net assets provides the perspective of the Township as a whole. Table 1 provides a summary of the Township's net assets as of June 30, 2007 and 2006:

#### TABLE 1:

TABLE 1:		Gover <u>nmenta</u> June 3 <u>2007</u>		tivities 2006
Assets Current and other assets	\$	364,973	\$	302,691
Capital assets – Net of accumulated depreciation	<u> </u>	251,615	_	271,505
Total assets		616,588		574,196
Liabilities  Current liabilities		23,971		13,244
Net Assets				
Invested in property and equipment		251,615		271,505
Restricted Unrestricted		58,947 282,055		46,606 242,841
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Total net assets	<u>\$</u>	<u>592,617</u>	<u>\$</u>	560,952

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

The above analysis focuses on the net assets (see Table 1). The change in net assets (see Table 2) of the Township's governmental activities is discussed below. The Township's net assets were \$592,617 at June 30, 2007. Capital assets reflects the original cost, less depreciation of the Township's capital assets. The remaining amount of net assets \$282,055 was unrestricted.

The \$282,055 in unrestricted net assets of governmental activities represents the accumulated results of all past years' operations. The operating results of the General Fund will have a significant impact on the change in unrestricted net assets from year to year.

The results of this year's operations for the Township as a whole are reported in the statement of activities (see Table 2), which shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2007 and 2006.

TABLE 2:

·	Governmental Activities June 30,				
	2007 2006				
Revenue					
Program revenue:					
Charges for services	\$	7,325	\$	7,450	
Grants, contributions and other		2,500		0	
General revenue:					
Property taxes		65,973		59,212	
Special voted taxes		48,759		46,606	
State shared revenue		117,976		125,479	
Other		22,616		34,069	
Total revenue		265,149		272,816	
Function/Program Expenses					
Legislative		42,750		30,557	
General Government		113,491		113,607	
Public Safety		20,584		34,892	
Public Works		55,126		63,097	
Cultural and Recreation		1,533		2,544	
Interest on Long-Term Debt				290	
Total expenses		233,484		244,987	
Increase in Net Assets	<u>\$</u>	31,665	<u>\$</u>	27,829	

As reported in the statement of activities, the cost of all of our governmental activities this year was \$233,484. Certain activities were partially funded from those who benefitted from the program or by other governments and organizations that subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions. We paid for the remaining "public benefit" portion of our governmental activities with \$114,732 in taxes, \$113,491 in State shared revenue, and with our other revenues, such as interest and other.

The Township experienced an increase in net assets of \$31,665. The increase in net assets differs from the change in fund balance and reconciliation appears on page 14.

As discussed above, the net cost shows the financial burden that was placed on the State and the Township's taxpayers by each of these functions. Since property taxes for operations and State shared revenues constitute the majority of Township operating revenue sources, the Board of Trustees must annually evaluate the needs of the Township and balance those needs with State-prescribed available unrestricted resources.

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

#### The Township's Funds

As we noted earlier, the Township uses funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes. Looking at funds helps the reader consider whether the Township is being accountable for the resources taxpayers and others provide to it and may provide more insight into the Township's overall financial health.

As the Township completed this year, the governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$341,002, which is an increase of \$51,555 from last year. The General Fund, our principal operating fund, the balance increased \$42,982. Overall, actual General Fund revenues were within .3% of budgeted amounts, and expenditures were within 1.27% of budgeted amounts.

The Road Fund fund balance increased \$12,341.

#### **Budgetary Highlights**

Over the course of the year, the Township revises its budget as it attempts to deal with changes in revenue and expenditures. State law requires that the budget be amended to ensure that expenditures do not exceed appropriations. A schedule showing the Township's original and final budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided in required supplemental information of these financial statements. Changes to the original budgets were as follows:

All Budgeted Funds -

- There were only minor minimal increases in budgeted expenditures, if any.
- There were no significant variances between the final budget and actual costs.

#### **Capital Asset and Debt Administration**

#### **Capital Assets**

At June 30, 2007, the Township had \$558,331 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, vehicles, and equipment. This amount represents a net increase (including additions and disposals) of \$1,550.

	2007	<u>2006</u>
Land and improvements Buildings and improvements Vehicles Equipment	\$ 88,502 222,674 162,892 84,263	\$ 88,502 222,674 162,892 82,713
Total capital assets	558,331	556,781
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>306,716</u>	<u>285,276</u>
Net capital assets	<u>\$ 251,615</u>	<u>\$ 271,505</u>

This year's additions of \$1,550 consisted of file cabinets.

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

#### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates**

Our elected officials consider many factors when setting the Township's 2008 fiscal year budget. One of the most important factors affecting the budget is the State of Michigan's economy. This resulted in a \$7,503 decrease in State shared revenues in the year ended June 30, 2007, and cuts may be forthcoming in 2008.

#### Contacting the Township's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide the Township's citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to demonstrate the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Deep River Township, 511 State St, Sterling, MI 48659.

## STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2007 and 2006

		Total	s Ju	ıne 30,
	-	2007		2006
ASSETS:	_			
Cash	\$	333,591	\$	271,906
Other receivables		723		3,628
Due from State		18,360		17,551
Due from other funds		11,364		9,606
Prepaid expense		935		0
Capital assets		558,331		556,781
Accumulated depreciation	-	(306,716)		(285,276)
Total Assets		616,588		574,196
LIABILITIES:				
Accounts payable and other liabilities		23,971		13,244
NET ASSETS:				
Investment in capital assets net of related debt (None)		251,615		271,505
Restricted		58,947		46,606
Unrestricted	_	282,055		242,841
Total Net Assets	\$ =	592,617	\$	560,952

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES <u>Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006</u>

	_	Program Revenues			Governmen				
					Operating		Net (Expense and Changes		
			Charges for		Grants/	-	Year Ende		
	Expenses		Services		Contributions		2007		2006
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES: Legislative \$		\$	0	\$	0	\$	(42,750)	\$	(30,557)
General Government	113,491		7,325		2,500		(103,666)		(106,157)
Public Safety -									
Fire	12,477		0		0		(12,477)		(22,643)
Other	8,107		0		0		(8,107)		(12,249)
Public Works	55,126		0		0		(55,126)		(63,097)
Culture and Recreation -	1,533		0		0		(1,533)		(2,544)
Interest on long-term debt	0		0		0	-	0	-	(290)
Total Governmental Activities \$	233,484	\$	7,325	\$	2,500		(223,659)		(237,537)
GENERAL PURPOSE REVENUES:									
Property taxes -									
General Levy							65,973		59,212
Special Voted - Roads							48,759		46,606
State shared revenues							117,976		125,479
Investment earnings							12,844		8,906
Other							9,772		25,163
Total General Purpose Revenues							255,324		265,366
Change in Net Assets							31,665		27,829
Net Assets - Beginning of Year							560,952		533,123
Net Assets - End of Year						\$	592,617	\$	560,952

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements. -9-

## GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2007 and 2006

ASSETS:		GENERAL		ROAD		OTHER NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
Cash in bank	•	057 455	_			
Accounts receivable	\$	257,455	\$	69,138	\$	6,998
Due from State		723		0		. 0
Due from other Funds		18,360		0		0
Prepaid expense		11,364		0		0
Tropala expense		935	_	0_		0
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	288,837	\$ _	69,138	\$	6,998
LIABILITIES:						
Accounts payable	\$	4,691	\$	10,191	\$	10
Accrued salaries & wages	·	4,277	Ψ	10,131	Ψ	16 0
Payroll taxes		1,503		. 0		0
Due to other funds		0		0		2,848
Other liabilities		400		0		45
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	10,871	_	10,191		2,909
FUND EQUITY:						
Reserved		0		50.047		
Unreserved		U		58,947		0
	_	277,966		0		4,089
TOTAL FUND EQUITY		277,966		58,947	-	4,089
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ =	288,837	\$ _	69,138	\$	6,998

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.
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	Totals	sJι	ıne 30,
	2007		2006
\$	333,591 723 18,360 11,364 935	\$	270,307 3,278 17,551 9,606
\$	364,973	\$	300 742
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\$	14,898	\$	5,487
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	445		350
	23,971		15,002
	58,947		46,606
	282,055		242,841
	341,002		289,447
\$	364,973	\$	304,449

#### **DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP**

Arenac County, Michigan

## GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS RECONCILIATION OF BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO NET ASSETS June 30, 2007

#### TOTAL FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

\$

341,002

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because -

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds:

Capital assets at cost Accumulated depreciation 558,331

(306,716)

TOTAL NET ASSETS - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

\$ 592,617

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

## GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

OTHER NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL Year Ended June 30, **GENERAL** ROAD **FUNDS** 2007 **REVENUES:** 2006 Taxes \$ 65,973 \$ 48,759 \$ 0 \$ 114,732 Licenses & Permits 105,818 4,822 0 0 4,822 8,615 State Grants 117,976 0 0 Contributions from Local Units 117,976 125,479 0 0 2,500 2,500 Charges for Services 12,166 0 0 7,325 7,325 7,450 Interest and Rentals 12,830 'n 14 12,844 8,906 Other Revenue 4,950 0 0 4,950 4,382 Total Revenues 206,551 48,759 9,839 265,149 272,816 **EXPENDITURES:** Legislative 42,750 0 0 General Government 42,750 30,557 91,002 0 16,107 Public Safety 107,109 106,423 8,107 0 0 Public Works 8,107 12,249 18,708 36,418 0 Cultural and Recreation 55,126 63,097 502 n 0 502 Debt Service 1,513 0 0 0 0 9,666 Total Expenditures 161,069 36,418 16,107 213,594 223,505 **EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES** 45,482 12,341 (6,268)51,555 49,311 OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfer from other funds 0 0 2,500 Transfer to other funds 2,500 2,500 (2,500)0 0 (2,500)(2,500)Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) (2,500)0 2,500 0 0 NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES 42,982 12,341 (3,768)51,555 49,311 FUND BALANCE - Beginning of Year 234,984 46,606 7,857 289,447 240,136 FUND BALANCE - End of Year 277,966 \$ 58,947 \$ 4,089 341,002 \$ 289,447

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

#### **DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP**

Arenac County, Michigan

# GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Year Ended June 30, 2007

NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES - TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$ 51,555
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because -	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures in the statement of activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated lives as depreciation:	
Depreciation expense Capital outlay	(21,439) 1,550
Rounding	 (1)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	\$ 31,665

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

#### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS June 30, 2007 and 2006

	Trust &	Current Tax	Totals	Ju	ne 30,
	Agency	Collections	2007		2006
ASSETS: Cash in bank	\$ 7,435	\$ 1,081	\$ 8,516	\$	8,516
LIABILITIES: Due to General Fund	\$ 7,435	\$ 1,081	\$ 8,516	\$	<u>8,516</u>

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2007

#### NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Deep River Township is located in Arenac County and operated under an elected Board of Trustees (5 members) and provides services to its residents in many areas. The financial statements of the Township have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the government's accounting policies are described below.

#### A. REPORTING ENTITY:

In evaluating how to define the Township for financial reporting purposes, management has considered all potential component units. The decision to include a potential component unit in the reporting entity was made by applying the criteria set forth in GASB No. 14. The basic - but not the only - criteria for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's ability to exercise oversight responsibility. The most significant manifestation of the ability is financial interdependency. Other manifestations of the ability to exercise oversight responsibility include, but are not limited to, the selection of governing authority, the designation of management, the ability to significantly influence operations and accountability for fiscal matters. The other criterion used to evaluate potential component units for inclusion or exclusion from the reporting entity is the existence of special financing relationships, regardless of whether the Township is able to exercise oversight responsibilities.

#### Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of the interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. All of the Township's government-wide activities are considered governmental activities.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identified with a specific function. Program revenue includes (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges by a given function and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes, intergovernmental payments, and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

Government-wide Statements - The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants, categorical aid, and similar items are recognized as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS <u>June 30, 2007</u>

#### NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Amounts reported as program revenue include (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided; (2) operating grants and contributions; and (3) capital grants and contributions. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenue rather than as program revenue. Likewise, general revenue includes taxes and unrestricted State aid.

Fund-based Statements - Governmental funds financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within approximately 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting.

Fiduciary Fund statements are also reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting.

The Township reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Township. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Road Fund - The Road Fund is used to record property tax revenue, interest earnings and other revenue restricted for use on Township roads.

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

Deposits - Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and demand deposits.

Receivables and Payables - In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds". Activities between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "advances to/from other funds".

Property taxes are assessed as of December 31 and the related property taxes become a lien on December 1, of the following year. These taxes are due on February 14 with the final collection date of February 28 before they are added to the County tax rolls.

Prepaid Items - Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both entity-wide and fund financial statements.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS <u>June 30, 2007</u>

#### NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include land, buildings, equipment, and vehicles, are reported in the applicable governmental activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Township as assets with an individual cost of more than \$300 and an estimated useful life in excess or one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Costs of normal repair and maintenance that do not add to the value or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

Buildings, equipment, land improvements and vehicles are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings and additions20-50 yearsVehicles5 yearsOffice furnishings5-20 yearsOther equipment5-20 years

Compensated Absences - There is no liability for compensated absences reported in the government-wide statements since no township employees are provided with sick or vacation pay benefits.

Long term Obligations - In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the statement of net assets. There are no long-term liabilitaties.

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

#### NOTE 2. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY:

Budgetary Information - Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles and State law for the General and Special Revenue Funds. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The budget document presents information by fund and function. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing body (i.e., the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) is the function level. State law requires the Township to have its budget in place by April 1. Expenditures in excess of amounts budgeted are a violation of Michigan law. State law permits entities to amend their budgets during the year. There were no significant amendments during the year.

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations in Budgeted Funds - The Township did not have significant expenditure budget variances.

Fund Deficits - The Township had no accumulated fund balance deficits.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2007

#### NOTE 3. CASH AND DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS:

Deposits of the Township are carried at cost and maintained at Citizens Bank, Independent Bank and Chemical Band, federally insured banks.

State statutes and the Township's investment policy authorize the Township to make deposits in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations that have an office in Michigan; the Township is allowed to invest in U.S. Treasury or Agency obligations, U.S. government repurchase agreements, bankers' acceptances, commercial paper rated prime at the time of purchase that matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase, mutual funds, and investment pools that are composed of authorized investment vehicles. The Township's deposits are in accordance with statutory authority.

At year end, the Township's deposits were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

	Governmental	Hiduciary	Total Primary
	<u>Activities</u>	Funds	Government
Cash	<u>\$ 333,591</u>	<u>\$ 8,516</u>	<u>\$ 342,107</u>

The Government Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 3 requires the amount of total bank balances to be classified in one of three categories of credit risk. These categories are:

- (1) Insured or collateralized with securities held by the entity or by its agent in the entity's name.
- (2) Collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agency in the entity's name.
- (3) Uncollateralized (This includes any bank balance that is collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution, or by its trust department or agent by not in the entity's name). Bank deposits including certificates of deposit:

		Primary
v.		Government
Category 1.	\$	142,839
Category 2.		-
Category 3.		199,268
Total Bank Balances	<u>\$</u>	342,107
Carrying Amount	<u>\$</u>	342,107

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2007

#### NOTE 4 CAPITAL ASSETS:

Capital asset activity of the School District's governmental activities was as follows:

Land and improvements Buildings and improvements Vehicles Equipment	Balance <u>July 1, 2006</u> \$ 88,502 222,674 162,892 82,713	Additions \$ - - - 1,550	<u>Disposals</u> \$ - - -	Balance <u>June 30, 2007</u> \$ 88,502 222,674 162,89284,263
Total Capital Assets	556,781	1,550	-	558,331
Accumulated Depreciation  Land and improvements  Buildings and improvements  Vehicles  Equipment	7,020 63,202 150,414 64,640	1,344 3,903 12,478 	- - -	8,364 67,105 162,892 <u>68,355</u>
Total Accumulated Depreciation	285 <u>,276</u>	21,440	<u>-</u>	306,716
Net Capital Assets	<u>\$ 271,505</u>	<u>\$ (19,890</u> )	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 251,615</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to activities of the Township as follows:

Governmental activities	\$	7,931
Public safety		12,478
Recreation and culture	_	1,031
Total government activities	\$_	21,440

#### NOTE 5. RISK MANAGEMENT:

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, errors, omissions, employee injuries, and workman's compensation benefits.

The Township has purchased commercial insurance for general liability, errors and omissions, physical damage for equipment, buildings and contents and workers compensation. Settled claims for the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past 3 years. There was no reduction in coverage obtained through commercial insurance during the past year.

#### NOTE 6. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS:

The amounts of interfund receivables and payables are as follows:

<u>Fund</u>	Interfund <u>Receivable</u>	<u>Fund</u>	Interfund <u>Payable</u>
General Fund General Fund	\$ 1,081 2,848	Current Tax Collections Cemetery Fund Trust and Agency	\$ 1,081 2,848 7,435
General Fund		Trust and Agency	\$ 11,364

## DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP ARENAC County, Michigan

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2007

#### NOTE 6. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS (continued):

Operating transfers during the year:

	<u>Transfers In</u>	Transfers Out			
General Fund Cemetery Fund	\$ - <u>2,500</u>	\$ 2,500			
	<u>\$ 2,500</u>	<u>\$ 2,500</u>			

Transfers are used to use unrestricted revenues collected in the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

#### NOTE 7. PENSION PLAN:

Deep River Township has a defined contribution plan for employees other than elected officials or part-time workers, through Manulife. A defined contribution pension plan provides pension benefits in return for services rendered, provides an individual account for each participant, and specifies how contributions to the individual's account are to be determined instead of specifying the amount benefits the individual is to receive. Under a defined contribution pension plan, the benefits a participant will receive depend solely on the amount contributed to the participant's account, the amount earned on investments of these contributions, and forfeitures of other participant's benefits that may be allocated to such participant's account.

The Township's pension plan agreement specified which Township positions are covered by the plan. Contributions made by an employee and the Township vest immediately. An employee that leaves the employment of the Township is entitled to his or hear account balance consisting of the employee and Township contributions, as well as earnings in the account. Effective January 1, 2007, the Township contribution was reduced to 1% of annual compensation for elected officials and 7.5% for other covered employees



#### DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP

Arenac County, Michigan

#### BUDGET COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND Year Ended June 30, 2007

	_	Original Budget	_	Final Amended Budget	_	Actual
REVENUES:					_	
Taxes	\$	60,400	\$	60,400	\$	65,973
Licenses & Permits		7,440		7,440		4,822
State Grants		124,800		124,800		117,976
Interest and Rentals		8,319		8,319		12,830
Other Revenues	_	8,919	-	8,919	_	4,950
Total Revenues		200,959		200,959		206,551
EXPENDITURES:						
Legislative		35,300		43,000		42,750
General Government		97,340		91,840		91,002
Public Safety		12,800		9,800		8,107
Public Works		17,840		17,900		18,708
Cultural and Recreation	_	1,500	_	600	_	502
Total Expenditures		164,780		163,140		161,069
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):						
Transfer to other funds	_	2,500	_	2,500	_	2,500
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE		33,679		35,319		42,982
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING OF YEAR	_	234,984	_	234,984	_	234,984
FUND BALANCE - END OF YEAR	\$_	268,663	\$_	270,303	\$_	277,966

#### **DEEP RIVER TOWNSHIP**

Arenac County, Michigan

#### BUDGET COMPARISON SCHEDULE - ROAD FUND Year Ended June 30, 2007

REVENUES:	-	Original Budget	Final Amended Budget	Actual
Taxes	\$	46,600	\$ 46,600	\$ 48,759
EXPENDITURES: Public Works	_	82,500	82,500	36,418
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE		(35,900)	(35,900)	12,341
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING OF YEAR	_	46,606	46,606	46,606
FUND BALANCE - END OF YEAR	\$ _	10,706	\$ 10,706	\$ 58,947

OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

#### COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS June 30, 2007 and 2006

	Special Revenue Funds			Totals June 30,		ne 30,
	Fire		Cemetery	2007		2006
<u>ASSETS</u>						
Cash in bank	\$ 0	\$	6,998	\$ 6,998	\$	8,597
Accounts receivable	0		0	0		350
	\$ 0	\$	6,998	\$ 6,998	\$	8,947
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$ 0	\$	16	\$ 16	\$	0
Due to General Fund	0		2,848	2,848		1,090
Due to Other Gov't Units	0		45	45		0
Total Liabilities	0		2,909	2,909		1,090
Fund Balance	0		4,089	4,089		7,857
	\$ 0	\$	6,998	\$ 6,998	\$	8,947

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Years Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

						To	otal	\$
		Special F	Reve	enue Funds		Year End	June 30,	
	_	Fire		Cemetery	_	2007		2006
REVENUES:								
Contributions from Local Units	\$	0	\$	2,500	\$	_,	\$	12,166
Charges for Services		0		7,325		7,325		7,450
Interest and Rentals	-	0		14	-	14		30
Total Revenues		0		9,839		9,839		19,646
EXPENDITURES:								
General Government		0		16,107		16,107		13,030
Debt Service	-	0		0	-	0		9,666
Total Expenditures	_	0		16,107	_	1 <u>6,107</u>		22,696
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	,	0		(6,268)		(6,268)		(3,050)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES: Transfer from General Fund	-	0		2,500	-	2,500		2,500
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE		0		(3,768)		(3,768)		(550)
FUND BALANCE - Beginning of Year	-	0		7,857	-	7,857		8,407
FUND BALANCE - End of Year	\$	0	\$	4,089	\$	4,089	\$	7,857

#### GENERAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

		Year Ended June 30,			
REVENUES:		2007	_	2006	
Taxes -					
Current tax levy	\$	42,998	\$	37,076	
Swamp & Forest		1,375		1,375	
Administration fees	_	21,600	_	20,761	
Total Taxes		65,973		59,212	
Licenses & Permits -					
Building Permits		4,822		8,615	
State Grants -					
Sales tax		117,976		125,479	
Interest and Rentals -					
Interest earned		9,279		5,018	
Oil royalties		2,251		2,773	
Rents	_	1,300	_	1,085	
Total Interest and Rentals		12,830		8,876	
Other Revenue - Miscellaneous	_	4,950	_	4,382	
Total Revenues		206,551		206,564	
EXPENDITURES	_	161,069		156,506	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		45,482		50,058	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):					
Transfer to Cemetery Fund		2,500	_	2,500	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE		42,982		47,558	
FUND BALANCE - Beginning of Year		234,984	_	187,426	
FUND BALANCE - End of Year	\$ _	277,966	\$ =	234,984	

#### GENERAL FUND DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

	Year Ended June 30,			une 30,
	_	2007	_	2006
EXPENDITURES:				
LEGISLATIVE:				
Township Board -				
Trustees' salaries	\$	7,800	\$	8,450
Legal & professional		2,750		2,650
Contract services		4,275		0
Membership dues		3,290		250
Printing and publishing		2,734		319
Retirement		2,546		0
Seminars and conventions		4,619		4,279
Travel		818		1,658
Supplies and other costs		2,724		3,119
Insurance		7,325		5,947
Payroll taxes	=	4,170	_	3,885
Total Legislative		43,051		30,557
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Supervisor -				
Salary		7,800		8,450
Supplies and other costs	=		_	186_
Total Supervisor		7,800		8,636
P*I - ations				
Elections -		3,332		461
Wages		3,332 1,404		149
Supplies and other costs	-	1,404	-	143
Total Elections		4,736		610
Assessor -				
Contracted services		23,400		26,240
Supplies and other costs		1,021	-	1,478
Total Assessor		24,421		27,718
Clerk -				10.000
Salary		12,000		12,688
Supplies and other costs		43	-	360
Total Clerk		12,043		13,048
Board of Review -				
Salaries		1,365		1,410

# GENERAL FUND DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES (Continued) Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

		Year Ended June 30,		
	-	2007	2006	
EXPENDITURES (CONT.):  GENERAL GOVERNMENT (CONT.):  Treasurer -				
Salary	\$	14,847 \$	16,085	
Deputy Treasurer	*	1,764	2,128	
Supplies and other costs	-	6,868	5,875	
Total Treasurer		23,479	24,088	
Township Hall -				
Salaries		375	0	
Utilities		5,646	5,888	
Telephone		1,308	1,185	
Repairs and maintenance		7,978	9,152	
Supplies and other costs		0	509	
Capital Outlay	-	1,550	1,149	
Total Township Hall	-	16,857	17,883	
Total General Government		90,701	93,393	
PUBLIC SAFETY:				
Building Inspector -	×.			
Salary		4,816	7,081	
Supplies and other costs	-	754	718	
Total Building Inspector		5,570	7,799	

## GENERAL FUND DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES (Continued) Year Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

	•	Year Ended June 30,		
	-	2007		2006
EXPENDITURES (CONT.): Zoning & Planning Salaries Supplies and other costs	\$	2,375 162	\$	4,425 25
Total Zoning & Planning	-	2,537	_	4,450
Total Public Safety		8,107		12,249
PUBLIC WORKS: Highway, Streets and Bridges - Routine maintenance		0		17,907
Street Lighting - Utilities		897		887
Drain-at-large		17,811	-	0
Total Public Works		18,708		18,794
CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL: Park -				
Salaries		0		425
Supplies and other costs		502		1,088
Total Cultural and Recreational		502		1,513
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	161,069	\$	156,506

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December 5, 2007

Deep River Township PO Box 440 Sterling, MI 48659

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

As a regular part of our audit of the financial statements of the Township of Deep River for the year ended June 30, 2007, we have reviewed the Township's accounting procedures and internal controls surrounding the recording of accounting transactions. This letter presents comments and recommendations to strengthen these controls and increase administrative efficiency. These recommendations do not, of course, include all possible recommendations, but only those areas of potential improvement which came to our attention during our audit of the financial statements as of June 30, 2007.

Nothing came to our attention that would indicate any improper or illegal actions have been committed by Township officials.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 1. In reviewing your budgets for the year ended June 30, 2007, we noticed some areas of your budgets and budgeting processes that are not in compliance with Public Act 621 of 1978 (the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act).
- A. Section 18(3) of Public Act 621 prohibits the Township from incurring expenditures against an account in excess of the amount appropriated. The following variations were noted:

<u>Fund</u>	Total	Amount	Budget
	<u>Budgeted</u>	Expended	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund - Drain at Large Transfer to Cemetery Fund	\$ 17,000 0	\$ 17,811 2,500	\$ 811 2,500

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We suggest that the budget be reviewed periodically and amendments to the amounts appropriated be made prior to the expenditure of any funds that exceed the amount appropriated.

#### 2. Disbursement of Tax Collections:

According to the Bulletin for Audits of Local Units of Government - Appendix B (MCL 211.43) units of over \$15,000,000 of state equalized valuation must distribute tax collections on hand within 10 business days after the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> day of each month. The Township, by only making one distribution per month, was not in compliance with this requirement.

#### 3. Separation of Accounting Records:

At the present time, the Township maintains one General Ledger that accounts for the activity of all funds maintained by the Township. Many times expenses of one fund are paid out of another fund and not posted to Due to and Due from accounts. This makes it very difficult to separate the activities of each fund. Steps need to be taken to establish a separate General Ledger for each fund.

#### 4. Filing of Invoices:

The Township's invoices and supporting documentation for expenditures are filed in the Clerk's desk drawers and more than one year are filed together. We suggest that a separate filing of all invoices and other supporting documentation, and they be separated by year.

#### 5. Substantiating Documentation:

In several instances, documentation to support expenditures could not be provided. All expenditures by the Township should be supported by some type of documentation, i.e.: invoices, expense vouchers, minutes of meetings indicating attendance, etc.

We wish to express our appreciation for the assistance extended to our staff by the officials and employees of the Township. If we can be of further assistance in these or any other matters, please call upon us.

Sincerely,

QUAST, JANKE AND COMPANY, C.P.A.'S, P.C.

Mark G. Janke, 💋.P.A